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INTERROGATION OF

L/Pte YASUSAKA, Masaji, of 19 Special Water Duty Coy.  
Reff. death of Sgt. Wariram SINGH and L/Cpl HAZARA SINGH

Q. Do you remember being at PAON in Aug 44?  
A. Yes.

Q. Did you know that two Indians were killed there?  
A. Yes, but I do not know their names.

Q. Why were they killed?  
A. These two Indians were quarreling with a third Indian and had beaten him. This Indian was unable to take revenge, so he reported to TAKEI that they had told him that when the Americans came all the Japanese would be killed, TAKEI then reported the matter to MITSUBA.

Q. Who killed them?  
A. MITSUBA ordered SHIMIZU and me to shoot them. We took them away from the party and shot them with rifles.

Q. Was anyone else present?  
A. There were three or four, but I only remember the names of two, TAKEI AND Pte SEINO (Now dead).

Q. Were they beaten before being killed?  
A. They were beaten with a shovel while working sac sac by TAKEI.

Signatures of Officers. /s/ Bruce Capt.  
taking evidence. (indecipherable) Lt.  
/s/ (indecipherable) Lt.

Signature of Interpreter  
at Cape WOM  
26 Oct. 45 /s/ (indecipherable)

Certified true copy.  
/s/ T. Mornanc Lt. Col.  
24/9/46.

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第十九特別給水中隊所屬兵長「ヤスサカ・マサジ」尋問  
軍曹「シング、ワリアム」及伍長勤務「シング、  
ハザラード」死ニ圖シテ。

問、一九四四年八月二「バロム」ニ居タノヲ覺エ  
テ居ルカ。

答、ハイ。

問、ソコテ印度人ガ二人殺サレタノヲ知ツテキル  
カ。

答、知ツテ居マスガ其名ハ知リマセン。

問、何故殺サレタカ。

答、此二人ノ印度人ハモ一八ノ印度人ト喧嘩ヲシ  
テ居テ其一人ノ方ヲ殴リマシタ。其印度人ハ  
仕返シガ出来ナイモノテスカラ「タケイ」ニ  
アノ二人ハ亞米利加人ガヤツテ旅ルト日本人  
ハ皆殺ニ合フテアラウト自分ニ語シタト告ゲ  
タノテス。「タケイ」ハ其事ヲ「ミツバ」ニ  
報告シタ。

問、誰レガ此二人ヲ殺シカ。

答、「ミツバ」ガ清水ト私ニ命令シテ此二人ヲ  
殺セマシタ。吾々ハ此二人ノ其一行カラ引離

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第十九特別給水中隊所屬兵長「ヤ 久サ刀」・マサジ一等官

軍曹一シング、ワリアム一反伍長物一シング、  
ハザードノ死ニ闘シテ。

間、一九四四年八月二「パロム」ニ層タノヲ電エ  
テ層ルカ。

答、ハイ。

問、ソコテ印慶人ガ二人遣サレタノヲ知ツテキル  
カ。

答、知ツテ居マスガ其右ハ知リマセソ。

問、何故殺サレタカ。

答、此二人ノ印度人ハモ一八ノ印度人ト喧嘩ヲシテ居テ其一人ノ方ヲ殴リマンタ。其印度人ハ仕返シガ出来ナイモノテスカラ「タケイ」ニアノ二人ハ亞米加人ガヤツテ旅ルト日本人ハ皆漆ニ合フテアラウト自分ニ語シタト告ゲタノテス。「タケイ」ハ其事ヲ「ミツバ」ニ報告シタ。

國、ヨウ 一方此二人ヲ殺シシカ。

答、「ミツバ」が清水ト源ニ命令シテ此二人ヲ  
タセマシタ。吾々ハ此二人ノ其一行カラ引離

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2.

シテ小続テ聲テマシタ。  
問、他ニ居合セタモノハ無カツタカ。  
答、三四人居マシタガニハシカ名前ヲ覺ヘテ居リ  
マセン。一タケイト兵ノ「セイ」ダケテ  
ス。一「セイ」ハ既ニ死ンテキル  
問、此二人ハ死ヌ前ニ醒ラレタカ。  
答、サクサク作業中  
「タケイ」ニヨツテ「シャベル」テ醒ラレマ  
シタ。

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2.

シテ小競テ聲テマシタ。  
問、他ニ居合セタモノハ無カツタカ。  
答、三四人居マシタガ二人シカ名前ヲ覺ヘテ居リ  
マセン。一タケイト兵ノセイノダケテ  
ス。(一セイノハ既ニ死ンテキル)  
問、此二人ハ死ヌ前ニ謀ラレタカ。  
答、サクサク作業中  
一タケイニヨシテ一シャベルテ壁ラレマ  
シタ。